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## ROADS Highway 2A could be paved by September

*Good weather has allowed construction crews to make progress on secondary highway*

by Richard Westlund

Construction on highway 2A between Didsbury and Carstairs is scheduled to be paved by the end of August said the project's foreman.

Wayne Coston, who is overseeing the project for Richardson Brothers Ltd., said progress on the secondary highway has been good because of dry weather.

Currently the crew has been working on the project for a month now doing the preliminary work for the road. So far work has been done on the shoulders of the road and the north coulee has been brought up to grade.

Richardson Brothers received the contract and completed the work on highway 2A between Didsbury and Olds and are building the new portion to the same specs.

Coston said most of the work on projects like the 2A comes before the actual paving.

"The paving portion doesn't take very long. Once the base is finished we'll bring in the paver and pave it all at once," said Coston about the process that will be followed, adding that the clean up will happen as the road is paved.

In 1993 the stretch of highway 2A between Olds and Bowden was started and completed in 1996. In 1997 the portion between Carstairs and Crossfield was completed. The stretch from Didsbury to Olds was completed in 1998.

Approximately 2,000 to 4,000 vehicles travel along highway 2A each day.



**Longest day in golf**

photo by Chris Pugh

Donna Fife, Bruce Dunn, Al McCoy and Al Armour stop briefly for a picture during their longest day of golf adventure held on June 21. The foursome was able to golf 13 rounds and raise almost \$5,000 for STARS.

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## COUNTY COUNCIL

# Level of service for fire departments to be determined

*County debates merits of standardizing fire equipment*

by Carla Victor

A level of service for fire departments must be financially attainable say fire chiefs.

Determining a level of service for fire departments in Mountain View County (MVC) will be the first step towards building compatible firefighting services from one end of the county to the other.

Councillor Charlie Van Arnem brought this issue before council in May. June 26 saw council voting unanimously to develop a county-wide level of service and bring it back to council chambers before the December 2002 MVC meeting.

The need to set a minimum level of service stemmed from the fact that Olds, Sundre, Didsbury, Carstairs and Cremona fire departments all use different equipment, hoses and couplings, not always compatible between departments.

Within each fire department types of equipment and levels of training may vary as well.

Councillor Dave Derksen informed council that this problem spans further than the fire departments. He said even towns don't have compatible fire hydrants.

For example, Olds has three different kinds of fire hydrants and Didsbury has four that need different couplers.

"Towns need to decide what kind of hydrant to buy and stick with it," said Derksen.

He explained to council that during a shared service agreement with, for example, Olds and Didsbury assisting each other, firefighters would need to find compatible couplers for their different hoses used by each department.

Possibly they would need to try numerous couplers for hoses and hydrants before even beginning to fight a fire, which is a time consuming process.

"You are scaring me," said Van Arnem to Derksen. "We cannot afford to play this game. I understand making fire departments compatible is expensive but we need to start doing this."

Olds Fire Chief Jack MacIntosh said setting a level

of service will be a difficult process but well worth the effort.

"Setting a level of service for the county will be difficult because of training levels, man power levels, volunteer times and budgets," said MacIntosh.

Shaune Plump, deputy chief in Carstairs said setting a level of service sounds good if the budgets are there to back it up.

"A level of training would be acceptable to us as long as funding is available to provide training to our volunteers."

"We are a smaller population and our budgets are smaller."

He said the county would need to back this policy up with funds and that could be very expensive.

Setting a level of service, said MacIntosh, will include how many trucks will respond to a fire in the county, what level of training will be required, how many firefighters will be on each vehicle, how many and the types of vehicles that would respond and amounts of water each one would carry.

Reeve Ian Harvie said MVC needs to set the direction for this process.

"This is the table that sets the direction. We need to set a time table and work with the fire chiefs. We have good fire chiefs but I am concerned who will be leading this process," said Harvie. Council will forward a letter to fire chiefs explaining their approach, and how council would like departments to deal with it.

Councillor Ben Penner cautioned council to assure the level of service set would be plausible for smaller departments in the county as it could be very expensive to bring all the departments up to a high level of service.

It will be a process of finding some middle ground for all the departments, agreed MacIntosh.

The proposed level of service will be determined by council with consultation from all fire chiefs.

Assistant Commissioner Tony Martens informed council they must also consider liability as a catalyst for this agreement.

If the County were sued, the courts would look to MVC's policy to determine whether or not they have met the level of service established by policy, said Martens.

"If we have not established a policy then the courts will determine that level of service for us," he concluded.



**Come out swinging**

photo by Richard Westlund

Sharyn Foster takes her best shot at a fellow pillow fighter at the Nickel Arcade held at Ross Ford elementary school last week.

## Reserves needed to cover deficit in Chinook's Edge budget

by Richard Westlund

Chinook's Edge School Division will use reserves to cover a \$1.6 million deficit in the 2002-2003 budget which was unanimously carried last week.

Surplus dollars held in the school and central budgets were needed to balance the budget. Treasurer Susan Roy told trustees at the final meeting held during the school year last Wednesday. Roy told the board the situation could be likened to a household that spent money it already had. While she said the solution worked in the short term, she warned the board it could not be a solution used year after year. In submitting the budget to Alberta Learning, the Division wrote "Chinook's Edge is concerned that the costs of education are rising faster than the grants we receive."

Superintendent Jim Gibbons added that covering the difference between revenues and expenditures with a surplus "is not substantiable over the long term." Roy said preparing the budget this year was challeng-

ing because of different uncertainties - the biggest being the changes taking place of teachers in salaries and benefits for 2001-2002 and 2002-2003.

The School Division was hoping numbers would be released in the first six arbitration cases in the province and that they would have more accurate numbers to go by. But because the process had taken longer than expected a best guess had to be made. Early indications show actual numbers are close to what Chinook's Edge predicted.

Last year the division spent \$65,100 per teacher. This year that number was raised to \$69,500. Roy stressed this number is not a salary for a teacher but a reflection of the instruction budget on a per teacher basis. While Chinook's Edge decided to make a guess on what it would be spending on teachers now and adjusting the budget in September to get their budget in on time, some other divisions in the province decided they would wait until the arbitration process had been completed.

Part of the budgeting process also involved calculating the number of staff required for the upcoming school year. Initial estimates show that student population in Chinook's Edge School Division will drop this year from last. As a result Chinook's Edge is anticipating there will be 15 fewer teachers on the payroll. Chinook's Edge officials said that because of retirements and transfers there will be no layoffs to teaching staff. While no teachers will be laid off, 55 school support workers have been notified that they may not receive recall notices for the next school year. Final decisions will be made in September when the division assesses the impact of the arbitration ruling regarding the teachers' dispute.

Other increased costs included insurance rates, Alberta Health Care premiums and energy expenditures.

"We're confident about the budget forecasts we've made based on what we know. But the fact is there were some unknowns as we went through the process," said Roy.

# OPINIONS EDITORIAL

## To the grass roots



**RICHARD WESTLUND**  
EDITORIAL

Health Authority 5 deserves a lot of credit for attempting to put power into the hands of those who access healthcare in the region.

Right now the authority is calling for programs people would like to start in their communities and helping some of the better ideas out with funding.

Basically those who have an idea and the gumption to get it off the ground are being supported by the region with dol-

lars.

Nobody knows the needs of a community where health is involved better than the people who live in it. This is an opportunity to meet some needs in Didsbury which may be overlooked.

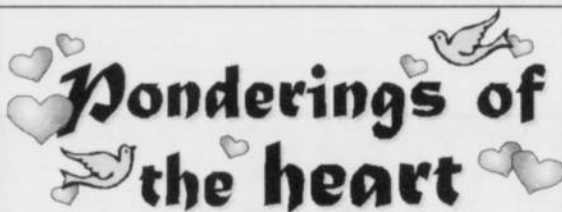
In the past this approach has yielded many quality programs throughout the region. Many of them no longer require funding from HA5 as they have figured out some alternate routes to supporting their projects.

Exercise programs have been set up for youth, palliative care programs have been set up by volunteers, non-smoking campaigns have been set up - the list is varied and extensive.

This is an opportunity to have local concerns addressed by the people of Didsbury. People in this area value their health care. It was public pressure that saved the hospital a couple of years ago and we just finished going through a doctor shortage crisis.

Health Authority 5 officials have been proud of this approach and how it has been received by the public. Some programs have been many years in the running now and has made our local healthcare system stronger. It has also allowed people to implement what they feel is important in a healthcare system.

Too many times we are affected by the decisions that others make and we feel powerless in the process. This is an opportunity to be part of the decision making process and perhaps do some real good in our community.



## Any Takers?

Margaret Fradley

There is a position opened up in town for which I am sorely tempted to apply. The position is open to anyone willing, interested, or available. The position is self appointed, takes very little of one's time, and the remunerations are exceptional.

With regards to salary, it ranges according to one's dedication, from zero to nil, but there are good benefits. The position, itself, well - it is to remove all 'old garage sale' signs once the sales are over, in order to help in keeping our town 'beautiful'.

Recently, I suggested these signs be removed, but I see there is still an opening for this position. A few weeks ago, on one of the posts, the signs were removed before the sales were actually over, I am "not guilty", as I would never do this. However, I also suggest that perhaps our signs could be limited to the area by the Post Office and on 15th Ave.

When each one of us does just a little, what a difference it can make. I love our town; people visiting often remark how much they like our town, let's do all we can to make it worthy of all the praise. Just something to Ponder.

Remember, kids—  
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## LETTER

### Reader responds to principal's letter

Dear Mr. Thompson,

When I read your letter to the editor on June 19, 2002 I could not help but wonder how many other people heard the same contradiction in your statements that, "All teachers wanted to be at the (grad) ceremonies." "There was no pressure to tow the union line" "only a democratic vote by teacher's on staff to determine the collective wishes of staff and the appropriate

administrative response" caused the situation to be otherwise.

Also, I am a bit confused by your so called "withdrawal of voluntary services." Your staff participated in fund-raising for May Monarch, which included the supervision of a school dance outside of school hours. What message did you send the students?

Finally, I would like to com-

ment on the fall convocation which your school has planned. At the beginning stages of grad plans. I was at a meeting where you proposed this idea to parents and students. They unanimously rejected it! So, who are you doing a fall ceremony for? The class of 2002 has had their graduation celebration or DID YOU MISS IT???

Eloise Block

## FROM THE MP'S DESK

### Thompson commends police efforts

Myron Thompson, Member of Parliament for Wild Rose and Watchdog for the G8 Summit for the Canadian Alliance says the security services provided by the RCMP municipal police forces, and national defence in Kananaskis, Calgary, and Ottawa demonstrated Canada's finest on the international stage.

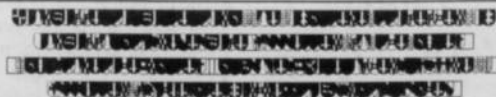
"Full credit goes to Chief/ Supt. Lloyd Hickman, Commander of the G8, and his team. In all three locations protestors were handled effectively and

with respect," said Thompson.

"It's unfortunate that the meeting cost Canadian taxpayers over \$300 million. I was glad to hear French President Jacques Chirac suggest the next G8 meeting should be held via video-conference,"

stated Thompson.

"Again my thanks to each and every police officer. Through their coordinated efforts Canada was able to shine in front of the world as a peace loving nation," concluded Thompson.



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# FROM THE MAILBAG

## Poor people in Alberta should not be ignored

Dear Editor:

Alberta's poor face a crisis that needs to be addressed immediately. Adults and the 25,000 children on income support get essentially the same today as they received in 1993.

The Alberta government has consistently refused to raise income support rates, even though rates were cut by 20% in 1993 and inflation has risen by nearly 20% during

the past nine years. What it means is that the Government expects families to buy their groceries at 1993 prices.

For instance, today a mother with two young children receives \$1,021 a month to pay for rent, food, clothing, utilities, etc. A person with a severe disability receives \$850 a month. This is simply not enough to pay for the basics of life.

The government's refusal

to raise rates is puzzling. Five of its own MLAs who sat on the Low Income Review Committee recommended an increase.

The Mazankowski Committee on Health Care said poverty should be reduced to improve the overall health of Alberta. Tens of thousands of Albertans have voiced their support for an increase.

Studies show that poverty costs society hundreds of mil-

lions of dollars each year in health care, justice, education, and other social supports.

By refusing to raise rates, the government is asking us to accept poverty as a fact of Alberta life. They are also asking Alberta's poor to continue to suffer indignities, endure meagre living conditions and face a grim future.

Families in poverty have

waited long enough for relief. It's time the Alberta government showed compassion for the less fortunate. On behalf of the 4,500 members of the Alberta College of Social Workers, I urge Albertans to call the Premier and their MLA. Tell them to raise income support rates. Now!

**Signed,**  
**Jake Kuiken MSW, RSW**  
**President, Alberta College of Social Workers**



drawing by Michelle Lyschirka

### Thank you to local pilots

Westglan school would like to thank Mr. Dal Nelson & Mr. Murray Sissons for all their time, effort and expense as they once again volunteered to provide us with the YOUNG EAGLES Program. This program gives the students the opportunity to tour the Didsbury/Olds Airport and to fly in an airplane. What an amazing enrichment to our Grade Six science program!!!

### Lions thanked for soapbox derby

Dear Editor,

We would like to thank the Didsbury Lions for a great soap box derby. It was alot of fun. The Grasse family

PS - it was the steering, not the driver. :)

## TOWN OF DIDSBURY

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### TOWN OF DIDSBURY PUBLIC MEETINGS

• Regular Council: July 10, 2002	• Corporate Services: July 9, 2002
• MPC: July 24, 2002	• Community Services: July 23, 2002

### NOTICE

The next meet the taxpayers meeting will be held July 8, 2002 from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm in Council Chambers. Come out and discuss your issues with your elected officials.

### NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

• DP 65-02	2101-15 Avenue	Garage	R2
• DP 66-02	31 Westpoint Drive	Single Family Dwelling	R1

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on July 17, 2002.  
Robert Wigg - Development Officer.

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## Town of Didsbury Amendments to Municipal Development Plan By-Law 98-08

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of Didsbury has passed first reading of a By-law to amend the present Municipal Development Plan By-law 98-08 as follows:

1) Plan 474 I, Block 10, Lots 13, through 17; 2030-21 Avenue

The purpose of the amendments is to amend the present Land Use Concept Map A from R1 (Recreation/Institutional/Public Facilities) to R (Residential) to be in line with a proposed Land Use By-law amendment.

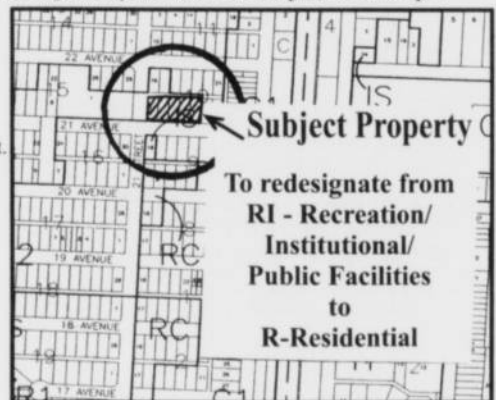
A public hearing prior to second and third reading of the proposed By-law will be held July 10, 2002, commencing at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office, 2037-19 Avenue.

The hearing will be conducted under the chairmanship of the Mayor, or her designated person, for the purpose of hearing opinions and comments and/or objections to the proposed By-law.

The style of the hearing will be informal and persons wishing to speak will be requested to state their name and address for the record upon being recognized by the Chairman. Opportunities to speak will not be restricted, but recognition to speak will be at the discretion of the Chairman. Written responses will also be accepted up until 12:00 noon July 10, 2002.

The public may inspect a copy of the proposed Municipal Development Plan amendments at the Town of Didsbury Municipal Office, 2038-19 Avenue, during regular office hours 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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Robert Wigg  
Planning and Development Officer

## HEALTHCARE

# HA5 makes public call for community health proposals

*Groups encouraged to submit ideas that could be funded by HA5*

by Richard Westlund

Health Authority 5 has issued a call for proposals from community groups and programs in the region for funding action and health initiatives.

In a June 25 press release, the local health authority asked that people with ideas on how to make the area healthier or safer submit them to the health authority for review.

"Often, people have ideas that would make their communities healthier or safer, but need some funding to get started. Action for Health Funds help get these ideas off the ground," states the release.

"We are looking for projects that take action on health issues of importance to you or your community; projects that address the factors that make and keep people healthy; projects that are community driven - people working together to take action on health; and projects that address regional health priorities such as injury prevention, tobacco reduction, heart health, children and youth, maternal and child, seniors health and palliative care."

Team Leader for Health Promotion in Health Authority 5 Bev Krabsen said the grants have been available for several years and that many unique programs covering a wide-variety of issues have been born.

Play schools have been subsidized for low-income placements, exercise programs have been developed as well as training for volunteers who assist in palliative care.

Krabsen said each community is unique and putting the opportunity out to the public helps to better address certain needs.

"It's a good way to address issues in our community," she said.

Proposals will be reviewed using an assessment tool that evaluates key elements that include community partnership/public participation, identified needs, well defined goals, measurable outcomes, reasonable budget and how the determinants of health were addressed.

The proposals should be community based where local citizens are the key players in identifying the need and are involved with planning or implementing the project.

A project report that includes the major initiatives and accomplishments, including progress in implementing strategies and a report on the performance, is expected on project completion.

Proposals must include a statement of need, a goal, objectives, strategies, a target population, expected outcomes an evaluation plan and a budget.

People who have questions or need help putting a project together can call Bev Krabsen at Three Hills District Health Services at (403) 443-5355.



## RCMP field trip

Midway's Grade 4, 5 and 6 class recently visited the Didsbury RCMP detachment for a tour. The students were given a talk about bike safety and a draw was made for a free bike helmet.

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## Town of Didsbury Land Use By-law 00-08

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of Didsbury has passed first reading of a By-law to amend the present Land Use By-law 00-08 Map Schedule A as follows:

### 1) That portion of land known as:

Lots 13 through 17, Block 10, Plan 474 I; 2030 - 21 Avenue be redesignated from the present IS (Institutional) District to R5 (Residential - High Density) District as per the attached map.

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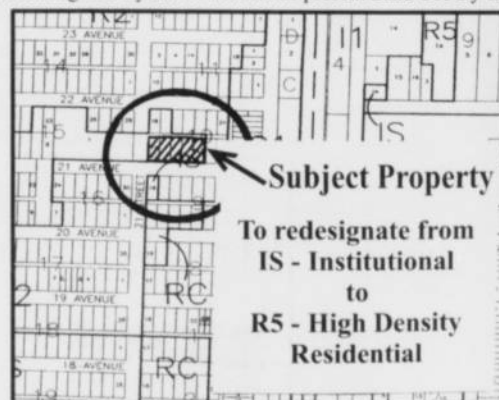
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## COUNTY NOTES

# County partnering up to create development strategies

Mountain View County (MVC) has partnered with other municipalities in the area to research, develop and recommend strategies for regionalizing economic development in this area.

Tony Martens, assistant commissioner for MVC has been appointed to a six member committee, with representation from each urban municipality, struck to develop a regional economic development plan with assistance from the province.

A workshop is in the planning stages for this fall, said Martens.

Once a date has been scheduled for the workshop councils and the public's input will be taken into consideration.

The committee is working to identify funding and cost sharing ideas to develop a process and format for regional development.

Reeve Ian Harvie said this is one more way the county can develop partnerships with the municipalities.

"I know every municipality either has or wants a plan. Our goal is to have a committee with representation from town and the county to have common goals and still have their own plan."

Martens was advised to proceed with the plan and keep council up to date.

\*Administration building update:

Council voted to appoint the architectural firm, The Cohos Evamy Partners, to proceed with a feasibility report on renovating the county administration building.

The administration building review committee recommended the firm after interviewing five architectural firms.

The firm will be paid \$22,000 to provide: a summary of existing and required spaces; a summary of the existing building condition; sketches and conceptual block plans of three possible solutions with a brief pro/con commentary; detailed commentary on the approved solution with rationale on the specific merits and pitfalls of the solution; preliminary order of magnitude construction and project budget based on the final approved design; plans and evaluations sufficient to describe the intent of the final approved design; proposed spacing and implementation schedule and comparison of

renovated space versus a new building.

Council had set aside \$20,000 from the 2002 budget to fund this project, the remaining \$2,000 will come from reserves.

The study is expected to take 10 weeks but an additional eight weeks have been added due to scheduling difficulties during the summer months.

\* Sundre Airport Commission Dr. David Chorkwa has been appointed to the Sundre Airport Commission, he will be replacing Chris Newton.

\*Gravel Donation Olds Koinonia Christian school requested a donation of 1,000 yards of gravel for the renovation and addition to their school, southeast of Olds, on the Amerada road.

Council voted to offer the school 400 yards of low-grade gravel from the White Pit at cost and include loading.

"This is a private business," said Ian Harvie, "I think we are giving them a really good deal."

\*DTHR Councillor Ron Richardson will attend a David Thompson Health Authority meeting, Oct. 16.

\*Recreational District Boundaries MVC has updated the populations for each Fire and Recreation District using the 2001 census data.

Statistics Canada provided 1996 census information by township. The 2001 census is more detailed because Statistics Canada is providing it in blocks bordered by developed road allowances.

MVC is now able to distribute county population to each recreation and fire district more accurately.

When the county was revisiting the recreation and fire policies in the last couple of years fire and recreation populations were the same, now the boundaries are different.

MVC discovered some significant district population fluctuations; specifically, Sundre increased significantly while Olds District decreased.

Following further analysis they determined recreation boundaries differ from fire boundaries.

Council will use previous boundaries to distribute the 2002 grant but has instructed administration to review boundaries prior to the

2003 recreation grant distribution.

\*RV dump site near Water Valley Council will look into making an RV dump site near Water Valley.

Councillor Charlie Van Arnham brought the issue before council during the Councillor's Concern portion of the monthly meeting.

\*Drought disaster relief

Councillor Pat James has been appointed to

the Provincial Drought Disaster Relief committee.

He is asking for input from anyone on what the committee could recommend to the province to offer relief to farmers affected by the drought. "We need to hear from council and ratepayers before the next meeting," said James.

James also reported to council information about the FCM convention he attended in

Hamilton, Ont.

"I was talking to Sheila Copps, Federal Minister of Heritage, and I said, 'if the federal government would emphasize agriculture as much as they did arts and tourism, we wouldn't need any help from government,'" said James.

"I told her I'm not a whining, sniveling farmer, I'm speaking of an industry that is suffering," said James.



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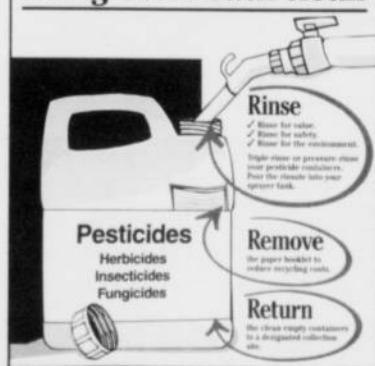
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## MILESTONE

### Westcott celebrates 100 years of community spirit

*Approximately 100 people show up to celebrate community's centennial*

The Community of Westcott celebrated 100 years on June 22, 2002, with a potluck dinner and dedication of a bronze plaque from the community and also a plaque and donation from Mountain View County.

Over 100 people gathered to renew old acquaintances and watch the unveiling. The MC was Dorothy Eggins, a former schoolteacher at Westcott School, and special guest was Myron Thompson, MP for Wild Rose.

Maxine Ford entertained everyone by reading a letter

written many years ago about the Westcott area by her grandfather, Jack Robertson. Long time family residents, Angeline & Cliff Murphy, had the honor of unveiling the plaques.

The Sletten family presented the community with a beautiful quilt depicting the old school house and teacher-age that once stood where the present community hall is located.

The original schoolhouse, in existence from 1902 to 1960, has many fond memories for both students and teachers who taught at the school.

Many brought their old pictures and decorated the walls of the hall with memories that went back as far as 1903. The community may have changed physically since it was originally called "Little Kansas" but the community spirit has remained the same.



Angeline & Cliff Murphy, had the honor of unveiling the plaques.

### International students leave Olds College with new skills

Olds College faculty and staff said farewell to 26 visiting students from Kazakhstan and the Kyrgyz Republic earlier this week.

The study visit lasted from June 3 to 25 and involved leaders from universities and colleges in the former Soviet states. The four-year project aims to help participants teach their own students concepts from conducting needs assessments with industry partners to expanding course development.

"It's a good feeling to be sharing our expertise in these developing countries and helping to enrich the lives of the people who live there," said project manager and Olds College instructor, Donna Gole.

"We're beginning to see very positive outcomes from our work. For the first time, our

international students are being introduced to the idea of talking to industry partners so they can begin developing curriculum to suit their local industries specifically. This market-driven economy is a new concept to residents in Kazakhstan and the Kyrgyz Republic, and it will make graduates from their learning centres more employable and entrepreneurial. The group is also forming very productive relationships amongst themselves, which will help them further share what they've learned once they're back home."

Specific proposals stemming from the Olds visit include establishing an agricultural employment and training centre, creating demonstration farms to share updated agricultural practices, and forming a consulting group to take their

newfound expertise directly to farmers.

Gole has accompanied the Olds College team on four previous teaching trips to Kazakhstan and the Kyrgyz Republic. Other key College staff involved in the project include Dan Fullerton, Dean of Business Services, and Bob Wilson, Vice President of Academic Services. The Canadian International Development Agency-funded project also has two Canadian industry partners: Hurricane Hydrocarbons and Kumtor Cameco Corporation.

"Responding to industry needs in their own countries and then working on performance-based reaming is going to help the economy grow in these countries. It's a very worthwhile project to be involved with," said Gole.

### Up & Down The Fireman's Ladder

by Tyrone Patten

This is our first article in quite some time and I don't know what exciting news to begin with. Oh yeah, the Bush Buggy, yeah.

It is proving to be a very worthwhile piece of equipment. We've used it 6 times so far in June, and we are so pleased with it's speed and ease of operation. It makes the job of fighting grass fires a whole lot easier.

Back in April, 6 of our members took the Firefighter I course.

I am pleased to report that they all passed. Congratulations go to Rob Anderson, Todd Paulson, Matt Hnatiuk, Scott Nygard, Shane Neufeld and Kris Cote. A job well done gentlemen.

On May 11, we held our annual Firefighters Cabaret. We have done this each spring since 1978 or 1979. As usual everyone who was there had a fantastic time. Peter Michaels from BIG 105 radio played some great music, gave away some prizes and helped make the cabaret a success.

This Canada Day (weather permitting) we will light up the sky with fireworks. The show will start when it's dark enough, and as usual it will be a breath taking display.

In the first 25 days of June, we answered 18 calls. They were:

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## ENVIRONMENT

# Canada Dithers: other countries are advancing

Is it possible that somewhere someone makes Dominion sized knitting needles? If so, Canada could sit back in its rocking chair and knit while the rest of the world moves on. Much of the world now admits environmental sustainability is not automatic but increasingly must be worked for and paid for. As a state, the country to the South of us is a great foot-dragger although a few cities and NGO's are exemplifying outstanding success in moving to environmentally sustainable operations. Our country on a per capita basis has one of the highest world usages of fresh water, produces garbage at unconscionable rates, lags far behind similar nations in wind generation and still fusses about some new formula to replace the Kyoto Protocol.

Our politicians brag about Canadian leadership. A leader is not made by sitting at the fireside, leaders do things sometimes first, sometimes better: leaders lead by example, doing what is necessary now, not waiting for someone else to carry the ball.

Let us consider corporate (not government) leadership in the USA. Collins Pine is a timber company that began in 1855 and sustainably operates 126,000 acres of the original holdings plus current leases. It employs 7,500 people. They do not clear-cut and they favour natural regeneration over monoculture planting. They have been praised in the Washington Post and Christian Science Monitor and by the Rainforest Action Network and the Sierra Club. They show a satisfactory yearly profit but less than the clear-cutters. On the other hand they may well be around on the same lands for many more years.

Now let's look at Nike the footwear people. They were alarmed when the pervasiveness of poisonous solvents and adhesives used in their shoes was pointed out to them. Their labs were given the job of replacing organic solvents with water-based adhesives, cleaners and primers. After several years experimenting they were successful but when the news of the environmentally friendly new discoveries was published, the vinyl industry (PVC's) mounted a campaign to discredit their work.



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Crossing the ocean to Europe where the various populations are much more aware of the sustainability problem and the environmental cost, both now and future, of careless resource use.

In Germany, Stiftung Warentest (SW) is a consumer watchdog foundation originally funded by the state but

now virtually self-supporting. It assesses products from food and medicines to cell phones and vehicles for economy, safety and environmental sustainability. They judge by four criteria: Resource Conservation: does manufacture of the product use renewable energy and recyclables. Does it consume water and require lots of energy to operate? Quality: normal consumer protection concerns. Minimal Use of Toxics: does the product create toxics or nonrenewable materials? Consumers take this very seriously. Addition Environmental Criteria: cumulative long term performance and ecological effects.

Trust and acceptance by the German people is so great that a poorly rated product seldom lasts more than a month or two on the shelves.

Food products containing Genetically Modified Organisms get negative ratings and therefore don't sell. German appliances are under national product responsibility meaning the makers must take

back every component of the products they make, and as of 2002 this includes cars. These autos are not electrical hybrids, get 78 miles to the gallon, but strangely are not available in North America. Banks considering commercial loan applications do an in depth environmental assessment which bears heavily on the acceptance of the project.

And our Chambers of Commerce, industries and corporate interests tell us that if we embrace similar practices, our economies will fail and we are doomed. I say this is the second greatest con job in modern times, second only to the doctrine that globalized business is best for all.

Wake up Canada! In the West we know what to call this type of nay-saying. It is closely associated with the

**Our politicians brag about Canadian leadership. A leader is not made by sitting at the fireside, leaders do things sometimes first, sometimes better: leaders lead by example, doing what is necessary now, not waiting for someone else to carry the ball.**

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Robert Austin is a former educator and businessman who lives in Didsbury.

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Because of your generosity, we have been able to install a cement driveway/parking area at the Children's Home that will enable easier accessibility for wheelchairs. We couldn't have done it without your support. ASC wishes to also acknowledge the extra effort put in by Al McCoy and his staff at the Didsbury Golf Course. Thanks again for your support and remember-THIS IS AN ANNUAL EVENT- We hope to see you again next year, same time, same place!!



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## LIFESTYLES



Darlene Neil of Mugs puts the finishing touches on a round of hot chocolates.



The 2B class visited the Didsbury Hospital to learn about different jobs and equipment there.



Didsbury Review publisher Gene Hartmann shows the 2B class pages of the paper before they are printed.

## *Ross Ford students learn on local trips*

Ross Ford students were out and about this school year learning about a variety of things. Local trips to local businesses made learning more enjoyable for them. Here are some pictures of some of the trips they went on.



Students take a minute to peruse the pages of the Review shortly after their tour of the building.



Marg Baril explains her job of a pharmacist during a tour at Didsbury Drugs.



A quick tour was made at Specialties Unlimited during 2B's first community walk where students got to watch embroidery done.



## COMMUNICATION CONTRACT County attempting to improve its communications

by Carla Victor

Mountain View County is a 40-year-old healthy male. He drives a pickup, goes to church and has strong family and community values. He is by definition a good neighbour.

Council agreed unanimously on this description when they were asked to personify Mountain View County (MVC) during a one-day communications workshop, held May 22.

Funding for the workshop originated from \$30,000, set aside in the 2002 budget, to deal with communication. Lynn Haley, of Westar Communication Strategies Ltd., presented possible objectives and goals brought forward from the workshop she conducted, for council to consider when awarding a communications firm with the MVC communications contract.

Haley said a communication strategy plan should provide:

- \* Building awareness for the county, its opportunities, potential and services.

- \* Share information with key stakeholders.

- \* Manage and sustain a positive reputation.

- \* Motivate employees and key stakeholders.

- \* Optimize and coordinate the impact and value of communication activities.

MVC will ensure competitiveness for the future and manage their growth while building partnerships and maximizing resources and work towards common goals, by using the expertise of a communications specialist, said Haley in her presentation. This communication strategy is expected to result in increased awareness, council building an objective relationship with the media, increased understanding about key issues and opportunities, informed decision making and motivated stakeholders, said Haley. Council agreed on the benefits of this budgeted item and its importance for future growth.

"This county is growing," said Reeve Ian Harvie. "I think this is very important

for our communication with the electorate."

Councillor Ron Richardson fully supported the contract position saying he considers the money spent in this area to be a small portion of the overall budget and will provide results worth every penny spent.

Councillor Pat James said communication has been a problem for this council in the past - "this was a good process and we should continue on this road."

Council has, in the past, identified improved communication with ratepayers as one of their main priorities.

Councillor Van Arnham cautioned council to choose a firm that has the target audience (MVC ratepayers) in mind.

"I've been through this communication area before and I have always found them to be too wordy," he said. "I like things to be brief and to the point."

Council authorized administration to contract communication consulting services to provide services, project-specific and ongoing in the areas of: developing corporate identity (\$7,500); website graphic re-design (\$15,000 from next year's budget); re-write and new copy development; media relations core package (\$7,500) and power point development (\$3,500). The cost of the workshop was \$5,000. Once this beginning process has been completed it is estimated monthly costs for communication services will be between \$2,000 and \$3,000. Harold Johnsrude, MVC commissioner, with the approval of county council, has awarded Westar Communications Strategies Ltd. a contract to provide communication services. Westar also provides communication services to Olds College as well as Alberta Agriculture.

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### Church group anniversary

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## LIFESTYLES

## SOUTH WEST DIDSBURY NEWS

## Local gentleman celebrates 90 years

by Bessie Eckstrand

Congratulations to Cliff Eckstrand who celebrated his 90th Birthday on Sunday June 16th at Knox United Church.

He paid his dues at church with 90 pennies, then family served 2 large cakes & coffee to the congregation, following a buffet luncheon in the Christian Education Room for relatives. A very enjoyable day & Cliff appreciated all of the cards & congratulations & family support.

Sympathy to Jean Shields & family as husband & father, Sherman passed away Saturday, June 22. Funeral services were held at the Didsbury Complex on Friday June 28th. He will be sadly missed.

Swede (as he was affectionately called) was born to parents Tillie & Claude Shields and with family of 7 children moved to Didsbury area south west of Burr Tuggle Farm in the late

1930's & they all went to school at Clauermount.

Swede & Jean farmed here west on Westcott Rd & raised a family & was a friend to all, enjoyed visiting with family & friends. He had a severe bout with cancer & didn't survive. Will all miss you Swede.

Mrs. Winnie Robertson of Carstairs was guest speaker at Knox U.C.W. May meeting & all enjoyed her informative talk on Habitat For Humanity of Canada.

Habitat For Humanity is an independent - non-profit housing program dedicated to the elimination of poverty housing by building homes in partnership with families in need. Homeowners contribute hundreds of hours of sweat "equity" to the construction of their own homes and then repay in long term no-interest mortgages.

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generous donations of funds & building materials.

Homeowners are chosen based on need, the willingness to partner & ability to pay back mortgage.

Winnie has been involved in this housing for a number of yrs. & enjoys the efforts put out by people helping people.

Plans went ahead for the U.C.W. 40th Anniversary, which now took place on Tues. June 25th with about 50 ladies of U.C.W. & Thrift Shop present. All former Presidents were invited. Several have passed away, but Helen Klinck was the first President & she was able to attend the festivities & pot luck dinner. Former

secretaries daughter, Jean Devine of 40 yrs ago was also present. A lovely devotional was conducted by Evelyn Clark, Elsie Brander & Margaret Gilchrist, this was honoring the women who have worked through the yrs. for God & the church. Celebrating the Foundation of Faith & Celebrating the 40th Anniversary of U.C.W.

Very hot weather is upon us & things are really growing but we haven't had too much moisture. We were talking to our nieces in Etzikom & Medicine Hat & they had had 5 to 8 inches in the last two weeks. We do hope we get some more soon. Alta has never really failed us yet.

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## MOUNT VIEW LODGE NEWS

Lodge busy with  
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by Annie Caush

Hi all!

The people who wanted hot weather have finally gotten their wish and the area around our Lodge is beginning to bloom.

We have been busy with several special activities and games. We hosted a volunteer appreciation tea and invited our volunteers to be our guests. A good number came and due to a bit of a mix up we had double entertainment - the Bell Ringers from Three Hills and Don Fletch with his music. Thanks all for being so understanding and for a lovely evening.

The ladies of the Glamis W.I. came one afternoon and called bingo and served lunch. Thanks All. We have also had a couple of short trips - one to Crossfield to check out the bowling game they have. We enjoyed playing with a number of the residents of the Crossfield Lodge. Thanks for a lovely

visit. Last Saturday was the Sundre Parade so a good group travelled out there and viewed the Parade and they were treated to dinner and entertainment at the Foothills Lodge. It was a really pleasant day.

Our June birthday party was hosted by several Auxiliary members who called Bingo as the entertainer had to cancel. Of course we had ice cream and cake. Those celebrating June birthdays are Kay Brown and Neva Miller.

Probably the biggest event in June was our Family Pot Luck supper last week. Each resident could invite two guests and they provided a wonderful variety of salads and desserts. Our capable staff supplied meat, buns, and potato salad plus coffee and punch. It was a memorable evening finished off with old time music by George Muza assisted by Phil and Archie. A huge "thank you" to all who helped make this such a special evening.

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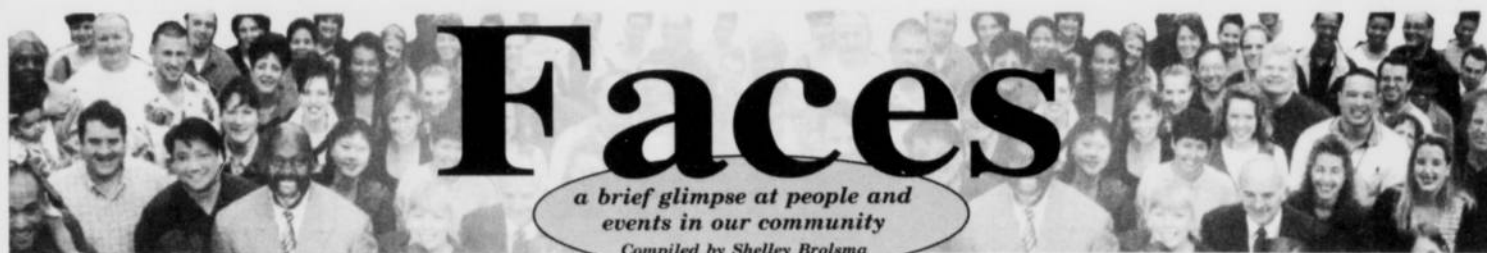
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# Faces

a brief glimpse at people and events in our community

Compiled by Shelley Brolsma

## Bus trip will take local seniors to the Calgary Stampede



Gen Fahlman

There's a good time to be had by all simply by boarding the Didsbury Community Bus Tuesday, July 9th at the 5-O Club.

That's when organizers there are planning to host their annual Calgary Stampede Bus Trip.

"It only costs \$5.00 for the ride there and back and coincides with Senior's Day at the Stampede too, so it's a real bargain," says one of the trip's organizers, Gen Fahlman. Fahlman has been

planning the trip with fellow 5-O Club members Florence Cawsey and Bea Niedersteiner.

Typical to most trips the mantra "getting there is half the fun" will apply. "Don Irwin or his son Mike usually take us up there."

"They both are fabulous drivers...we get the royal treatment all the way up," says Fahlman. "...Let's face it, as seniors all we want to do is talk, talk, talk all the way and Don just gets us

there in no time flat."

Once at the Stampede, seniors will be dropped off and later picked up at the gate. "It's nice to not have to worry about parking or walking for miles to get to the gate. It really takes the worry out of the entire day."

Any senior wishing to join in on the trip can do so by contacting either Gen Fahlman directly at 335-3449, Florence Cawsey at 335-3327, or Bea Niedersteiner at 335-3058. Happy Stamping!

**"It's nice to not have to worry about parking or walking for miles to get to the gate. It really takes the worry out of the entire day."**

- Gen Fahlman

## Cutting edge entrepreneur mows his way through summer

Few can resist the aroma of freshly cut grass. But to at least one Didsbury youth, that aroma is more than just an indicator summertime has finally arrived...it means money.

For the past three years 13-year-old Adam Johnston has been mowing and trimming lawns around town making money the old-fashioned way - by the sweat of his brow.

"My Mom and Dad taught me how to mow the lawn properly," says Johnston, one of six children in the Johnston family.

"There's really not a lot to it...you just have to make sure you give it enough water and don't let it grow too high."

Johnston, who will going into grade 8 next year, says he initially began the lawn cutting business not to make money, but to meet people. "You really get to know a lot of different people when you cut their grass," he says. "I have about two steady clients, but most of the people I cut grass for are seniors and teenagers."

His fee is just \$10.00 per lawn (for an average-sized

yard) garnering him enough business to keep him hopping all summer long.

"I'd like to take the first part of August off for a holiday if I could," says Johnston.

"Other than that, I think I'm free for the whole summer."

Johnston still cuts the grass at home occasionally, but is quick to point out he doesn't get paid.

Anyone wishing to use the grass cutting services of Adam Johnston is encouraged to call him and book an appointment at 335-3730.

**"There's really not a lot to it...you just have to make sure you give it enough water and don't let it grow too high."**

- Adam Johnston, lawnmower



Adam Johnston

## Golf tournament will raise money for local charities

There's a lot of very good reasons to be at the Didsbury Golf Course on Sunday, July 14th this year. That's the day Ward Value Drug Mart and Specialties Unlimited Inc. will be hosting their 3rd Annual Charities Golf Tournament. Money raised will be donated to charities right here in Didsbury.

That's also the day you could win one of two chances

at \$10,000.00 for sinking a hole in one. "We wanted to do something different this year," explains Margo Ward. "...so instead of giving away a car, we thought people might appreciate the money."

The Wards started the tournament three years ago with Cam Stewart from Specialties Unlimited. "Bill and Cam were talking one day and just decided it would be

nice to do something for charity. That's how this all got started."

The 18-hole tournament begins with a shotgun start at 9:00 am. Each \$50.00 entry includes a chance at numerous hole prizes (longest drive, longest putt, etc.), door prizes, a steak supper and, of course, a donation to charity. "This tournament is not about the prizes. The whole

idea is to raise money for charity."

Anyone interested in participating is encouraged to register in advance. "That would be appreciated so that we can make up the teams ahead of time. We are hoping to get about two teams per hole this year." Registrations are available at with Ward Value Drug Mart or Specialties Unlimited.

**"This tournament is not about the prizes. The whole idea is to raise money for charity."**

- Margo Ward



## An Advertising Proverb

When Mark Twain was editing a newspaper in Missouri, one of his subscribers wrote in, saying that he had found a spider in his newspaper and wondered whether it was a sign of good or bad luck.

Twain's response: "Finding a spider is neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our newspaper to see which merchant was not advertising, so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door, and lead a life of undisturbed peace ever afterward."

# LIFESTYLES

AROUND THE CIRCLE

## Focus on the Family



**QUESTION:** I'm having the hardest time trying to teach my boys about honesty and truthfulness. I talk and talk to them, and it just doesn't seem to do much good. What would you advise?

**DR. DOBSON:** Someone said, "I'd rather see a sermon than hear one."

There is truth to this statement.

Children may not remember what you say, but they are usually impacted for life by what you do.

Consider the task of teaching your boys to be honest, for example. Yes, you should teach what the Scripture says about truthfulness, but you should also look for opportunities to live according to that standard of righteousness.

I'm reminded of something that happened several years ago in Georgia, when the Bulldogs of Rockdale County High School overcame a big deficit to win the state basketball championship.

Coach Cleveland Stroud couldn't have been more proud of his team. But a few days later, while watching the game films of the playoffs, he noticed that there was an ineligible player on the court for 45 seconds during one of the games.

He called the Georgia High School Association and reported the violation, costing the school the title and the trophy.

When asked about it at a press conference, Coach Stroud said: "Some people have said that we should have kept quiet about it. That it was just 45 seconds, and that the player wasn't really an impact player. But you gotta do what's honest and right. I told my team that people forget the scores of basketball games. They don't ever forget what you're made out of."

You can be certain that every member of the Bulldogs' team will remember the character of Coach Stroud.

A letter to the editor of the local newspaper summed it up well. "We have scandals in Washington and cheating on Wall Street. Thank goodness we live in Rockdale County, where honor and integrity are alive and being practiced."

Your boys and girls need to see you doing what is right, even when it is inconvenient to do so.

**QUESTION:** I'm a single mom who's labored, sweated, prayed, cried, scrimped, saved, cooked, cleaned, taught and shepherded my children through numerous crises without the help of a husband or father for my kids. I'm having a very difficult time of letting go now that they are grown. Do you have any words of wisdom for me?

**DR. DOBSON:** My office at Focus on the Family sits across the valley from the U.S. Air Force Academy. From there I can see the cadets as they train to be pilots and officers.

I particularly enjoy watching the gliders soaring through the heavens. The only way those graceful yellow crafts can fly is to be tethered to a powered plane that takes them up to where they can catch a wind current.

Then they disengage and sail free and alone until returning to land.

While watching that beautiful spectacle one day, I recognized an analogy between flying and child rearing as a single parent.

There is a time when your children need to be towed by the "mother plane." If that assistance were not available, or if it were not accepted, the "glider" would never get off the ground.

But, inevitably, there comes an appropriate moment for a young pilot to disengage and soar free and alone in the blue heavens.

Both operations are necessary for successful flight. If you as a parent are not there for your kids when they are young, they are likely to remain "grounded" for life. On the other hand, if they stay tethered to you as young adults, they will never experience the thrill of independent flight.

Letting go not only gives freedom to your grown son or daughter but allows you to soar as well. It's all part of the divine plan.

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## June 22 was a beautiful day to be in downtown Didsbury

by Marge St. Clair

**Sat. June 22**

A beautiful day to be downtown at the wonderful ceremony to celebrate the 100th Ann. of the Train Station and to see the steam locomotive.

An exciting part of the program was the awarding of the Volunteer awards in 4 categories

1. Outstanding Volunteer - Jennifer Lunt
2. Outstanding Rural Volunteers - Bert & Pat Pringle
3. Outstanding Volunteer Family Award - Duke & Maxine Moreau
4. Outstanding Volunteer - Ev Peters from Household

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Director of Community Services Rhonda Hunter, Mayor Dorothy Moore and MP Myron Thompson were on stage to congratulate the recipients.

The Dirty Mothers Ladies Slo Pitch Team held their annual Steak & Lobster dinner at the Complex to finish off the Heritage Day celebrations.

There was a great crowd and all enjoyed the dance which followed. I was the recipient of a beautiful floral display on my return home from hospital, am looking forward to attending a home game soon.

Every Wed. evening the Farmers Market is open at the Curling Rink from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Call Laura at 335-4252 for table rental.

The Didsbury & District Chamber of Commerce meetings have now recessed for the summer.

Please circle Mon. Sept. 9 on your calendar, for the fall meeting at the Train Station with supper at 6:00 p.m. A float will be entered in the Ag Society Parade in Aug.

Marc Aubee is the chair person, Val Puttick was installed as vice chair and Grant Hemming is the new Secty Treas.

Have a good summer all.

## LEGION ENTERTAINMENT

### Legion picnic will be held July 13 - 14 at Westerdale Hall

by Marge St. Clair

**Special Events**

The Legion Picnic will be held Sat. & Sun. July 13 & 14 at Westerdale Hall.

Seniors Luncheons Thurs. July 11 and Thurs. July 25

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Fri July 5 - Borderline  
Fri. July 19 - Silk & Steel  
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Every Wed. - Bingo 7:15 p.m.  
Every Thurs. - Bridge 7:30 p.m.  
Every Fri. - Horse Races & Meat Draws 5:30 p.m.

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# Sports & Entertainment

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## RODEO Local hands competing in the Calgary Stampede

Events will have a  
local feel

by Barry Williams

Several local hands are scheduled to compete in the Calgary Stampede, Canada's premiere rodeo.

The rodeo, which carries a \$450,000 purse, is Canada's premiere rodeo and attracts world class competitors from Australia, New Zealand and North America. As well, the stock is supplied by the best contractors working for the Canadian Professional Rodeo Association.

Amongst the hands, trying to line their pockets with some extra change, are current and past Canadian and World champions.

Besides the second richest purse in Canadian rodeo history, an added \$50,000 is awarded to the Stampede champion in the five major events, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding, bull riding, steer wrestling, calf roping and ladies barrel racing.

The top four competitors in each event comprised of the Stampede average leader, the Canadian champion, the World Champion and the Rodeo Royal champion will be pitted against each other in a short go around for the \$50,000 Stampede championship.

Olds bareback rider, Bill Boyd, the defending Canadian Professional Rodeo Association champion, has never won the \$50,000 purse despite being a three-time Canadian champion. Boyd currently leads the Canadian standings and should be a favorite in cashing in on the big money this year.

Two other cowboys leading their CPRA disciplines this season, calf roper Guy Smith, of Wimborne, and Big Valley bull rider, Kelly Armstrong are hoping this will be their year to capture a Calgary Stampede championship.

In the past, three area cowboys have strolled up to the pay window to pick up their \$50,000 cheque from the

Calgary Stampede rodeo secretary. Six-time Canadian calf roper, Cliff Williamson, of Madden, won the event in 1999 while Carstairs roper Joe Lucas, a four-time Canadian champion, cashed his \$50,000 cheque in 1987. The 2000 Canadian saddle bronc champion, Glen O'Neill, of Didsbury, won the Calgary Stampede in 1995.

The ten day rodeo, part of the Greatest Outdoor Show On Earth, runs from July 5-14.

In keeping with the western cowboy theme, the World Professional Chuckwagon Association also runs its annual GMC Stampede Derby, which pays out \$50,000. It seems the favorite to win the Rangeland Derby every year is nine-time champion Kelly Sutherland, of Grande Prairie. Sutherland has always been a fan favorite at the Stampede derby and he usually doesn't disappoint his fans as he is normally in the final four "Dash for Cash" race.

Sutherland is currently in tenth spot in the WPCA standings, which is led by Tyler Helming, who has a slim lead over another veteran driver, Reg Johnstone, a three-time winner of the GMC Rangeland Derby.

Although the CPRA and the WPCA are separate organizations, the WPCA tries to run chuckwagon races at the major CPRA rodeos, which include, Ponoka, Wainwright, High River, Medicine Hat and Strathmore. The WPCA Dodge Tour championship will be crowned in Red Deer in late August.

So far this season, Johnstone has been the aggregate winner at two WPCA meets, at the Rocky Mountain Derby in Lethbridge and the Drumheller Badlands Dinosaur Derby.

The other winner on the WPCA circuit so far this season have been Norm Cuthbertson at the Grande Prairie Stampede.

If the weather co-operates, the Calgary Stampede Board is expecting the best turn-out for the fair and rodeo and are anticipating an attendance record.



Bill Boyd of Carstairs hangs on for dear life at the Sundre Rodeo.

photo by Dan Singleton

## Didsbury cowboy in the money at the Sundre Rodeo

by Barry Williams

In cards a "spade is a spade" but to Didsbury saddle bronc rider, Glen O'Neill, a Spade is a winning saddle bronc horse.

O'Neill, the 2000 Canadian Professional Rodeo Association saddle bronc champion, drew Franklin Rodeo's Spade and spurred an 82 aboard the mount to split the saddle bronc event at the Sundre Rodeo held from June 21-23. A seven time National Finals Rodeo qualifier, O'Neill split with American Cody Martin, of Harfield, Arizona, who spilled the beans out on Franklin's Cowboy Chilli. Both cowboys pocketed \$1,579 for their efforts.

Cochrane saddle bronc riders, Billy Richards and Jeremy Braden marked 78's on their mounts to split 5/7, worth \$330 apiece.

New Zealand bareback rider, Rod Duxton marked an 81 on Franklin Rodeo's Fox Den to capture the bareback competition and \$1,294 in prize money.

Fresh off a startling win at the Daines Ranch Rodeo in Innisfail, bull rider Jason Finkbeiner, of Wardlaw, saw nothing but greenbacks at the end of his ride as he won \$1,933 for an 87 aboard Franklin Rodeo's bull, Rodeo Red.

Del Rio, Texas, calf roper

Huston Hutto likes the wide open skies of Canada as he roped two rodeos on Canadian soil by winning the Sundre Rodeo for a purse of \$1,854 and flanking \$2,439 at the Guy Weadick Memorial Rodeo held in High River. Smokin' Joe Lucas, of Carstairs, tied up \$1,370 at the Sundre rodeo for a second place calf roping finish.

Calgary bull dogger, Les Deschamps won \$2,006 for the steer wrestling championship at Sundre. Meanwhile, Cremona's Kristy White won \$517 in the ladies barrel racing, won by Danyelle Campbell of Washington, Utah.

After pocketing just \$489 in the team roping event at Sundre, the roping team of Todd Gallais of Olds, and Dean Tuftin of Princeville, Oregon, captured the lucrative competition at the Guy Weadick Memorial Rodeo pocketing \$3,336.

An up and coming hand in the saddle bronc riding competition, Ben Louis, of Beiseker, let out a war cry after his 82 ride aboard Big Country's War Cry to win the event at the Guy Weadick Memorial Rodeo, worth \$1,159 in change.

Cochrane bull rider, Denton Edge didn't have to cross any states to capture the bull riding event at the Guy Weadick

Memorial Rodeo as he pocketed \$2,137 for an 87 point ride aboard Big Country's Interstate.

Current CPRA bull riding leader, Kelly Armstrong, of Big Valley, wasn't in a crunch at the Wainwright Stampede as he scored a spectacular 91 points on Baird and Schellenberg's Crunch to tuck \$3,321 into his Wrangler jeans.

Area saddle bronc riders enjoyed the arena at Wainwright as Cochrane's Billy Richards won the event with an 81 point ride on Wolf Creek Skool, a Big Stone Rodeo horse. Richards cashed a cheque worth \$3,087, while Didsbury riders James Crozier and Kerry Wellington won \$646 for a 9/8 split.

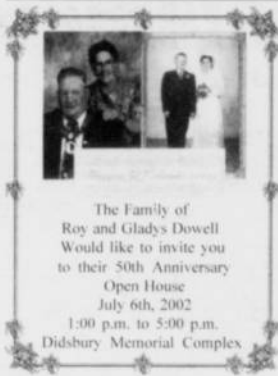
The Guy Weadick Memorial Rodeo traditionally starts a slate of rodeos known to the cowboys as "Cowboy's Christmas".

During the next three weeks professional and amateur hands have the opportunity of cashing some very large cheques in five major rodeos; The Ponoka Stampede, Airdrie Country Rodeo, Frontier Days Rodeo in Swift Current, Sask., the Williams Lake Stampede and the Calgary Stampede. A total of \$950,000 is up for grabs at rodeos across Canada in the next couple of weeks.



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## MEMORIAM

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## OBITUARIES

**SHULTZ** - Harold passed away peacefully at the Innisfail Hospital on June 17, 2002 at the age of 85. Harold was raised on a farm 10 miles east of Didsbury. He went to school at Neapolis, then married Thelma Christensen, and moved to Pennsylvania for 7 years. He returned to Didsbury where he purchased and operated the family farm until his retirement years. He resided at Innisfail Lodge for the past 3 years. Harold had a passion for country living, and especially loved to entertain guests in his home and to reminisce with family and friends. Left to celebrate his life are Thelma Shultz and his six children, Grant (Sandi) Shultz of Didsbury, Grace (Ken) Devolin of Calgary, Louis (Shirley) Shultz of Didsbury, Doreen (Randy) McKenzie of Red Deer, Sheila (Scott) Hounslow of Red Deer, Delbert (Karen) Shultz of Red Deer. Harold will be lovingly remembered by his grandchildren, Gene, Christine, Cindy, Wendy, Jodi, Kevin, Wade, Shawn, Renee, Tricia, Travis, Brianne, Kailen, Jonas, Justin, Janell and Kandis and his 11 great-grandchildren. He is survived by one brother, Lyle Shultz. He is predeceased by his parents, William and Mary Shultz, one sister Louise Shultz and two brothers, Donald Shultz and Kenneth Shultz. Funeral Mass was held on Monday, June 24, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. in Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church in Innisfail, Alberta. Interment followed in the Didsbury Cemetery. Memorial tributes in Harold's honor may be made directly to the C.N.I.B., 15 Colonel Baker Place NE, Calgary, AB T2E 4Z3. Mountain View Funeral Chapels, Didsbury entrusted with arrangements.



**HONEY** - Helena (nee Janzen) passed away peacefully on June 21, 2002 in Squamish, born to Anna and Abram Janzen October 14, 1914 at home in Main Center, Saskatchewan. Married Lyle Honey in 1933 and lived in Didsbury, Alberta until moving to Comox, B.C. during the war. They then moved to Cloverdale and farmed five acres raising vegetables. Predeceased by her husband Lyle in Cloverdale in March of 1971; grandson Nathan McArthur in July of 1982 and son-in-law Art Redekop in December of 1998. Moved to Chilliwack and lived there for 29 years until recently moving to Squamish. Helena was the second last 11 children and was the last surviving sibling. She is survived by her nine children, Mervyn (Eileen), Arlene (Jim) McArthur of Squamish, Arnold (Laurene) of Vernon, Elvira (Art) Redekop of North Delta, Delbert (Faye) of Fort St. John, Marilyn (Jim) Chamberlain, Ron (Jean), Leila (Don) McLaren of The Lower Mainland, Larry (Cindy) of Sumas, Washington; and by 23 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; 3 step grandchildren and 2 step great-grandchildren. Funeral Service was held at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Chilliwack on Wednesday, June 26, 2002 at 11:00 a.m., followed by a Graveside Service at 3:00 p.m. at Valley View Memorial Gardens, 14644-72nd Ave, Surrey, B.C. The McKenzie Family of Squamish Funeral Chapel in care of arrangements.

**SHIELDS** - Swede Shields passed away at home, surrounded by his family on Saturday, June 22, 2002 at the age of 72 years. He will be lovingly remembered by his family and friends. A Celebration of Swede's life was held at the Didsbury Community Complex on Friday, June 28, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations in Swede's memory can be made to the Rosebud Health Foundation, PO Box 962, Didsbury, Alberta T0M 0W0.  
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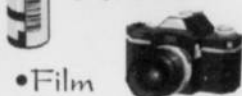
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#### Breakfast

Mountainview Christian Women's Club Breakfast is being held on Sept. 17 from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. at the Redeemer Lutheran Church. Lofty Designs is the topic.

#### Photography

A group of photo enthusiasts have started a photo club which meets the first Wed. of the month. If you are interested call Carla at 556-7510 or Richard at 335-3301 between 9 and 5.

### DIDSBURY

#### Support Group

A support group for parents of special needs children has been created in Didsbury. The first group meeting will be held on July 4 at the Didsbury Hospital (Education Conference room) at 7 p.m. For more information, please contact Jackie at the Didsbury Health Unit at 335-7275, or Cindy at 335-8696.

#### Farmers Market

The Didsbury Farmers Market is open Wednesday evenings from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Call Laura at 335-4252 for table rentals

### DIDSBURY

#### Group

The Compassionate Friends is a self-help supportive group offering friendship and understanding to parents who have experienced the death of a child. Meetings are 7:30 p.m. the last Thurs. of each month in Rm 3208 at the Drumheller District Health Services facility. For more info call Shirley 823-3001 or Linda 820-6012

This space available for advertising to all non-profit organizations. Please call 335-3301 or fax 335-8143 by Friday at noon.

## ONGOING EVENTS

### CARSTAIRS

#### RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.

### DIDSBURY

#### COMMUNITY CRISIS SOCIETY

Are you experiencing family violence? Please call the Crisis Shelter at 1-877-934-6634.

#### CHAMPS

"NEW" Canadian Weight Awareness - CHAMPS Clubs Inc. is a Non-Profit Weight Loss Support Organization which meets weekly. We are open to Men and Ladies whom share a common concern of managing their weight. For more info about CHAMPS CLUB INC. call today. 1-866-444-7682.

#### DIDSBURY MUSEUM

New Winter hours: Saturday, 1 - 5 p.m., special occasions, & anytime by appointment. Please call Marg Weaver at 335-4245, Jim Neis at 335-3133 or Willard Stauffer at 335-3715.

#### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

General Meeting- Second Monday of each month, 6:00 p.m. supper, 7 p.m. meeting 335-3265. RSVP

#### DIDSBURY TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join us every Wednesday evening. For more info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Joanne at 337-2614.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board meets once every two months at the Town Office. For info call Deborah at the Town Office at 335-8343.

#### TOY LIBRARY

Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury Toy Library: Open Tuesdays 10-11:30 a.m. and 2nd & 4th Saturdays for the winter! at the Anglican Church Hall basement 2037 - 24 Ave. New members always welcome. Kerri at 335-9928.

#### AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call Wendy at 335-3877 or Rick at 335-9525.

#### TIME OUT

Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury's Mom's Time Out and Dads Too program. At Anglican Church Hall, Mondays 10-11:30 a.m. Nominal babysitting fee. Call 335-2388 for more information.

### DIDSBURY

#### KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge#21 has its regular meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Hans Lucas at 337-2250.

#### O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd Tuesday of the month. For info. call Kay Johnston at 335-4060.

#### GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS

Gamblers Anonymous (G.A.) starting Monday, January 22 from 7 - 9 p.m. in the Assembly Room at the Hospital Unit 4. For more information please call 335-8208.

#### SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway meets the 4th Monday of every month at 8 p.m. at Evergreen Centre in Olds. All welcome. Call 556-2401 or 337-2037 for more information.

#### CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tuesday. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo at 6:45. Regular Bingo at 7:30 p.m. Didsbury Elks Hall.

#### DIDSBURY PRESCHOOL

The Didsbury Preschool Society is currently accepting on-going registrations for children 3 to 5 years old to our preschool program. For more information or to register your child please call Cherrie 335-8818 or 335-8039

#### LIONS

Lions Handi Bus in town service Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Wheelchair accessible. Call Lloyd Kenyon at 335-2363.

#### INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a group which offers information and support for breastfeeding mothers. We also meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month 10 a.m. Olds Scout Hall. Phone 337-3617 or 556-3807 for information.

#### BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 7 - 8 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls welcome.

#### OUT OF SCHOOL CARE

Just Done For Fun out of school care program runs each school day at Ross Ford. For more information call 335-8168.

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#### AL-ANON

Al-Anon: for persons affected by someone else's drinking. Thurs. 8 p.m. For more information call 337-2549, 335-9787 or 337-3762.

#### BRIDGE CLUB

Mountain View Bridge Club meets every Wednesday from 7-10 p.m. at the Masonic Star Hall, 2037-21 Avenue, Didsbury. All bridge players welcome! For more info: 335-8375 or 638-2757.

#### HALL WALKING

Adult hall walking at Westglen from 6:45 a.m. Monday to Thursday. Keep fit this winter.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

ADD/ADHD Support Group. For parents and families dealing with attention deficit disorder. For more info call Sheree 335-8612.

#### HOME HELP ASSOCIATION

The Didsbury & District Senior Support Services co-ordinates assistance for seniors. Call 335-4391.

#### LEARNING DISABILITIES

Learning Disabilities of Alberta, Mtn. View Chapter. Support and info for parents and teachers dealing with learning disabilities. Meet on last Tuesday of the month in lower level conference room in Physiotherapy Unit of Hospital. For info call Susan at 335-3174.

### LONE PINE

#### T.O.P.S.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Friday at 9 a.m. at Lone Pine Hall. For information call Doreen at 335-4514.

#### OLDS

#### MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For more information contact Susan at 335-8540.

#### SUPPORT GROUP

Fibromyalgia Support Group 4th Thursday of every month. For time and place, contact Mel Terpstra 335-3527 for info.

### SUNDRE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS Wednesdays, 8 - 9 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

#### ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277.

#### AL-ANON

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